HONGKONG, SATURDAY, JUNE 14, 1890.

Established February, 1845.

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HONGKONG & SHANGRAI BANKING CORPORATION.

RESERVE LIABILITY OF Pro- \$ 27.500.000 supply, enable us to purchase direct from the ber, 1889.

COURT OF DIRECTORS. Chairman-H. L. DALRYMPLE, Req. Deputy Chairman-J. S. Mosts. Esq. T. E. DAVIES, Esq. | Hon. A. P. McEwen. W. H. FORBES, Esq. S. C. MICHAELSEN, H. Hoppius, Esq. :: Hon. J. J. KESWICK. L. POESNECKER, Esq. ALEX. McConacrie, D. R. Sassoon, Esq.

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LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Drafts granted on London, and the c ief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan. THOMAS JACKSON.

Chief Manager. Hongkong, May 13, 1890.

NOTICE.

DULES OF THE HONGEONG IL SAVINGS' BANK.

1. - The business of the above Bank will be conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their premises in Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 10 to 3: Saturdays, 10

2.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 at one time will not be received. No depositor may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one yeur. 3.—Depositors in the Savings' Bank having at Kowloon. \$100 or more at their credit may at

their option transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent, per annum interest. 4. - Interest at the rate of 34 per cent. per annum will be allowed to depositors on

their daily balances. 5.- Each Depositor will be supplied gratis with a Pass-Book which must be presented with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their Pass-I oks but should send thom to be written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and begin-

ning of July C .- Correspondence as to the business of Savings' Bank Business is forwarded treeby the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China.

7 .- Withdrawals may be made on demand but the personal attendance of the depositor or his duly appointed agent, and the production of his Pass-Book are nocessary.

For the HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, THOMAS JACKSON,

Chief Manager. Hongkong, May 13 1880

Intimations.

NOTICE OF CALL.

THE BORNEO HOTEL AND STORES COMPANY, LIMITED.

NTOTICE is hereby given that the FIRST

CALL of TEN DOLLARS per Share in this Company is payable at the OFFICE of the Univa Borneo Co., Limiter, Sandakan or Hongkong, on the loth day of June, 1890, after which date INTEREST at the Rate of 12 % per Annum will be charged. By Order of the Board of Directors, CECIL FABRIS,

Secretary, Hongkong, May 29, 1890

THE PUNJOM AND SUNGHIE DUA SAMANTAN MINING COM-

PANY, LIMITED. CHAREHOLDERS in the above Company are requested to attend a PRI-VATE MEETING at the Company's OFFICE

on MONDAY, the 16th Instant, at 3 p.m. A, O'D. GOURDIN,

Hongkong, June 4, 1860.

Intimations.

BY APPOINTMENT. WATSON & Co., Limited,

(ESTABLISHED A.D. 1841.) THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY,

HONGKONG. Wholesale and Retail Druggists. ANALYTICAL, FAMILY, DISPENSING AND GENERAL CHEMISTS.

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sionals, at Moderate Prices.

Producers on the very best terms, and thus give us an advantage which enables us to offer our from the 3rd to 16th June, both days constituents the benefit of a considerable reduction inclusive. tion in the price of all our Specialties as compared with similar articles sold elsewhere. FA We wish it to be clearly understood that our prices cannot be beaten by any other firm

in the Colony; and we trust it will soon be- THE PEAK HOTEL AND TRADING come generally known that, quality for quality, our charges all round compare favourably with local rates, and in most instances with those ruling at home. Experienced qualified English Assistants ONLY are employed in the preparation and

dispensing of Medicines. GOODS FOR COAST PORTS. Whenever practicable, are despatched by hirst steamer leaving after receipt of order. Most articles can now be sent by the local

Parcel Post. All retail orders of the value of five dollars and upwards are sent freight or postage paid. Orders through Local Post or by Telegram receive prompt attention:

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THE CANTON DISPENSARY, CANTON, Canal Road.

THE DISPENSARY, FOOCHOW. THE DISPENSARY, UANKOW.

THE DISPENSARY, THENTSIN. LONDON OFFICE, 106, Fenchurch Street, E.C.

Hongkong, April 16, 1890. TRS. FALCONER has VACANCIES VI for GENTLEMEN RESIDENT BOARDERS

Kowloon, 5th February, 1890. DRITISH MERCANTILE MARINE

OFFICERS' ASSOCIATION OF HONGKONG.

This Association is formed for :-I.—The purpose of counteracting influences that are, and for a very long time have been, acting against the Inter- .075 ests of Officers of the British Mercantile Marine.

II,-To watch over and guard the Interests of its Members. the Profession.

III .- To maintain the proper dignity of N.B. -PUBLIC MEETINGS of this Association will be held at 8.30 p.m. EVERY

the Bank if marked On Hongkong TUESDAY and FRIDAY, at No. 2, HIGH STREET-the temporary quarters-until further notice. All-Masters and Officers are cordially

By direction of the Committee. Hongkong, June 2, 1890.

THE EAST BORNEO PLANTING COMPANY, LIMITED.

Issue of \$50,000 twelve per cent. Debentures of \$100 each to be paid off on 30rn June, 1892, but Redeemable on and after 30TH JUNE, 1891, at the option of the Company on Six months' notice.

THE Directors of the above Company are prepared to receive application for \$50.0 0 TWELVE PER CENT DEBEN-TURES, Terminable on the 30th JUNE, 1892, but Redeemable at the option of the

Company at any time after the 30rm JUNE, 1801, on giving Six months' notice. The Debentures will be issued on the 1st July next, in sums of \$100 each, and the Interest at Twelve per cent. will be payable. Half-yearly on the 30th June and the 31st

The First Interest will be payable on the 31st of December next. As security for the due payment of both principal money and interest the Company charges all its property except last year's

Forms of Application may be obtained from the Undersigned and should be filled up and sent to the Company Bankers, Tue HONORONG AND SHANGHAL BANKING COR-PORATION, on or before the 28 rst June, 1890, accompanied by a Deposit of Ten per cent, upon the amount of the Debentures applied

The Furm of Dabenture can be seen at the Office of the Company. By Order of the Board of Directors,

CHAS, F. HARTON, Secretary.

Fancy Fair at Macao on Sunday Evening, the 15th Instant.

Intimations.

STEAMBOAT COMPANY,

LIMITED.

CHEAP EXCURSION TO MACAO AND

WEATHER permitting, the HONAM will leave Honakong on SUNDAY, the 15th Instant, at 9 a.m., returning from Macao at Midnight. Passengers wishing to return by the

KIUNGCHOW leaving MACAO, at 6 p.m., First-class Fare to Macao and Back, \$2. No Second-class or single Fares. Chinese Servants, 50 Cents each way. No Chits will be taken.

By Order of the Board of Directors, T. ARNOLD, Secretary.

Hongkong, June 11, 1890. THE PUNJOM AND SUNGHIE DUA SAMANTAN MINING COM-PANY, LIMITED.

THE Fourth Ordinary Half-Yearly MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS We beg to state that we import Drugs, in the above Company, will be held at the Chemicals, and Goods of every kind of the best | Company's Office, No. 9. Quoen's Road description only-no other quality is kept in | Central, on the 16th of June, 1890, at 4 p.m., for the purpose of receiving the

The Transfer BOOKS will be CLOSED

A. O'D. GOURDIN, Secretary.

Hongkong, May 29, 1890. COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE OF RE-OPENING.

pleted and Furnished, BUSINESS will bo Commenced on SATURDAY NEXT, the

RESIDENTS and VISITORS wishing to stay at the Peak will find every Comfort and Accommodation, together with Refreshing satisfaction. Cool Breezes and Magnificent View. Special attention has been given to the DINING ROOMS and BAR, to make this

a pleasant resort for Residents during the HOT SUMMER MONTHS. The TABLE D'HOTE is supplied with every available luxury. The cuisine being under Special Management is by far the best in or near Hongkong. WINES and SPIRITS, &c. -only the

best brands and quality are kept. W. THOMAS. 👉 Manager. Hongkong, June 13, 1890.

THE DARVEL BAY TRADING

COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA-ORDINARY General MEETING of the DARVEL BAY TRADING COMPANY, LTD., will be held at No. 9, Queen's Road, Victoria, Hongkong, on SATURDAY, the 21st of June, 1890, at 2.30 o'Clock in the Afternoon, for the purpose of considering and if thought fit passing the subjoined Resolu-

SPECIAL RESOLUTION: 711 That the Company be wound up voluntarily under the Provisions of the Companies' Ordinances | 865 to 1886, and that FREDERICK ALEXANDER AL-FRED BURING BROCKELMANN and JUSTUS FREIDRICH HEIN-RICH HEYN, composing the Firm of REUTER, BROCKELMANN & Co., be the Liquidators of the said Company, and their remuneration as such Liquidators be the same as that allowed

them as General Managers of the Com-Dated this 10th day of June, 1890.

REUTER BROCKELMANN & Co., General Managers.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

I NFORMATION has been Received from the MILITARY AUTHORITIES that ARTILLERY PRACTICE will take place from South Shere Battery, Stone-cutters' Island, from the 2ND TO 16TH PROXIMO. between the hours of 6.30 a.m. and 10 a.m.

daily (SUNDAYS excepted.) The Line of Fire will be in a South-1004 | Westerly direction from the Battery. All Ships, Junks and other Vessels are CAUTIONED to keep clear of the Range.

By Command, W. M. DEANE, Acting Colonial Secretary. Colonial Secretary's Office.

Hongkong, 29th May, 1890.



GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

NFORMATION has been Received from the MILITARY AUTHORITIES that AR-TILLERY PRACTICE will tak place from Lyemun on FRIDAY and SATUR. DAY, the 13th and 14th Instant, between the hours of 4 p.m. and 6.30 p.m., the line of fire being in a South-Easterly direction from the Battery; also on MON-DAY and TUESDAY, the 16th and 17th Instant, from Beloher's Buttery, between the hours of 4 p.m. and 6 p.m., between lines running North-West and North-East from the Battery.

All Seirs, Junks and other VESSELS are CAUTIONED to keep clear of the Range. By Command, W. M. DEANE,

Acting Colonial Secretary. OLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE. Hongkong, 1 th June, 1590.

TO LEC-FULLY FURNISHED.

ITTOP FLOOR No. 1, Blue Buildings I for Two or Three Months during

Apply O prain GARDINER. Hongkong, May 6, 1890.

Business Notices.

HONGKONG, CANTON AND MACAC

HAVE NOW RECEIVED THEIR NEW STOCK OF GENTLEMEN'S OUTFITTING SUNDRIES.

SUMMER UNDERSHIRTS, PANTS & HALF-HOSE, NEW DRESS SHIRTS. I ONG CLOTH SHIRTS, Zephyr SHIRTS, FRENCH Print SHIRTS, Oxford SHIRTS, Silk and Gauzo-Flound Tennis SHIRTS.

COLLARS, HANDKERCHIEFS, SCARVES, TIES and CRAVATS. WATERPROOF COATS, APRONS and UMBRELLAS. Men's Bathing SUITS and DRAWERS, LADIES' Bathing COSTUMES, TOWELS, Bath GOWNS. Bath BLANKETS, Bath GLOVES and Flesh BRUSHES.

NEW TOILET REQUISITES.

PRICKLY HEAT SOAP, CARBOLIC SOAPS, PERT'S SOAPS, EAU DE COLOGNE, NEW PERFUMES, TOILET VINEGAR, LAVENDER WATER, KALYDOR, PICTE'S DENTIFRICE, EAU DE QUININE, HAIR WASH, LIME JUICE and GLYCERINE, &c., &c. "ANTI-CALCAIRE' for softening hard water.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

NEW TRIMMED MILLINERY.

CALCUTTA PITH SUN HATS

Hongkong, May 29, 1890.

CITRIPE & CHECK DRESS MATERIALS. | WHITE & COLOURED DRESS MUSLINS. WHITE & CREAM DRESS LAWNS. PONCEE DRESS CAMBRICS. PLAIN & FANCY PONGEE SILKS. A Choice Selection of FLOWERS. UMBRELLAS & PARASOLS. Ladies' & Infants' UNDERCLOTHING. Ladies' & Children's STRAW HATS.

A Large Stock Brice's Transfer. Specialities in Fancy Work. Ladica' & Children's Gauze Vests. Liste Thread & Cotton Hosiery. ... SILK & SPUN SILK HOSIERY. BATHING COSTUMES. SILE & CLOTH VARSITY CAPS, &c., &c. . W. POWELL & Co.

VICTORIA EXCHANGE, May 31, 1800. NAAFURE

THE Undersigned begs to notify the Public of Hongkong and the Coast Ports, that he will OPEN the MARINE HOTEL, on or about the 1st May. THIS PIRST-OLASS HOTEL Portion of the New Buildings of the Is situated on the Praya, West, opposite the Old P. & O. Wharf, and is newly built above Company, known as the PEAK after the designs of the Largest European Hotels—the BEDROOMS, BATH-ROOMS, HOTEL and situated at Victoria Cap, ad- &c., are commodious, well Ventilated and well Furnished, and are suitable for Single joining the Trainway Station, being com- or Married Persons. The DINING ROOM is large and looks on the Harbour. The TABLE D'HOTE will be supplied with the best the market can provide.

The BAR and BILLIARD ROOMS are on the Ground Floor, and will be fitted up in su serior style. ENGLISH AND AMERICAN TABLES. WINES and LIQUORS of the bost qualities and Brands only will be supplied. The Undersigned therefore begathe patronage of the Public, hoping to give every JAS. EDWARDS, Proprietor. 521

STOCK-TAKING REDUCED PRICES.

FOR CASH ONLY. TIROPICAL TWEED COATS & PANTS, \$13.50. DRESS SUITS, from LINEN, DRILLS & DUCK SUITS. FLANNEL, SERGE & MERINO.

FRENCH CAMBRIC PRINTED SHIRTING. WATERPROOF COATS & INVERNESS CAPES, from \$5. LEGGINGS & OVER SHOES. ENGLISH-MADE BOOTS & SHOES. UMBRELLAS, SUMMER UNDERCLOTHING in all Materials.

HANDKERCHIEFS, &c., &c., &c. ROBERT LANG & Co. Motel, Victoria

Praya and Queen's Road Central, Hongkong. HS Extensive and well-appointed Establishment, situated in one of the most central and airy positions in the Colony and commanding a splendid view of almost the entire harbour and within, five minutes' walk of the principal Government Offices (including the Post Office), Banks, &c , has recently been much enlarged and improved and is now one of the principal Horas in the place. The RCOMS are spacious, well ventilated and have just been refurnished in a most comfortable and handsome manner, suited to the requirements of the Far East.

The Accommodation and Service of every kind will be found to be of the best description. An ample and varied TABLE D'HOTE in always provided and served in the spacious, large Dining Hall. The HOTEL also contains handsome and comfortable Reception, READING, BILLIARD and Smoking Rooms.

The HOTEL is musurpassed for comfort, convenience and quick service. Continental languages are spoken. Messrs. DORABJEE & HING KEE. Proprietors.

Hongkong, September 16, 1885.

To Let. TO BE LET-FROM 1st JULY NEXT.

THE GROUND FLOOR of our Offices in Bank Buildings, opposite the Hongkong Hotel, and now in the occupation of the CHINESE INSURANCE Co., LTD. (in ROAD CENTRAL Liquidation). The central position of these Premises makes them very desirable for

Apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co. Hongkong, June 2, 1890.

TO BE LET. TRIEST FLOOR of No. 3, BLUE

BUILDINGS. -From 1st June. THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST

MENT & AGENCY Co., LTD. Victoria Buildings, Hongkong, April 29, 1890.

TO LET. ONE Large ROJM on the GROUND FLOOR of No. 13, Praya Central. Suitable for an Ollice.

G. C. ANDERSON, 13, Praya Central. Hongkong, March 28, 1893.

Apply to

HONGLONG ICE COMPANY, LID. TO LET. ITHAT Suite of OFFICES on the FIRST FLOOR of the Company's Premises in ICE HOUSE LANE, at present occupied by

Messrs. Holliday, Wise & Co., with entrance from Queen's Road. Possession from lat TWO GODOWNS on the GROUND FLOOR which can be let in connection with the

above Office, or separat ly as desired. LIOS TERBACE, Robinson Road. With immediate possession, ONE-ROOM The BUNGALOW, DELMAR, on Kowon the FIRIT FLOOR of the same Promises. loon Farm Lot 1, Yow-masti, with large suitable for as OFFICE, with entrance Garden and Tensis Ground. from the S uth side of the Building. For Full Particulars, apply to the MANA. GER at the Depot, or to

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

General Managere. Hongkong, January 27, 1890.

To Let.

TO LET. T ST FLOOR of HOUSE, No. 15, PRAYA 2ND FLOOR of HOUSE, No. 64, QUEEN'S

Apply to LAI HING & Co., No. 153, Queen's Road Central. Hongkong, March 21, 1890.

HOUSE in WEST TERBACE. Immediate Entry. Apply to

TO LET.

G. C. ANDERSON, -13, Prnya Central. Hongkong, May 3, 1890.

TO LET. NO. 9, SEYMOUR TERRACE.

Apply to

Hongkong, April 1, 1890. MORRISON HILL

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.

Entry, let June. G, C. ANDERSON, 13, Praya Central. Hougkong, April 22, 1890.

TO LET. TIOUSES Nos. 2 & 3. CAMERON VIL-11 Las, PEAR. Gas laid on. One Spacious Five Roomen HOUSE at MOUNT KELLETT, Peak, Gas laid ou. HOUSES Nos. 5 & 6, Drs Vœux VII-LIS! MOUNT KEILETT, Peak. Gas laid on. HOUSES Nos. 17, 20, 22 & 23, BELI-

One Two STORIED GODOWN, a few yards from the Praya Central. Apply to BELILIOS & Co.

Hongkone, June 12, 1800.

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

lersigned has received instruco Sell by Public Auction, on TUESDAY,

the 17th June, 1890, at 2 p.m., at his Sales Rooms, Queen's Road,-AN ASSORTMENT OF

JAPANESE WARE, comprising: KANGA, IMARI, KIOTO, SATRUMA and TOKIO VASES, JARS, BOWLS, PLATES, IN-CENSE BURNERS, TEA and Coffee Sets. ENAMELLED WARE, GOLD and SILVER INLAID BRONZES, LACQUERED WARE, and

KAKIMONSA, EMBROIDERIES, and Scheens.

Sun UMBRELLAS, Sun HATS, Straw HATS, Felt HATS, BOOTS & SHOES. JUST RECEIVED AN INVOICE OF YEE YEW, KWONG LEE CHIN AND OHOY HENG PORCE-LAIN, comprising:-Vases, Jans, Incence BURNERS and ORNAMENTS.

> TERMS OF SALE .- As customary. J. M. ARMSTRONG, Auctioneer.

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Hongkong, June 12, 1890. For Sale.

FOR SALE. SEMI-GRAND PIANO, by Collard & COLLARD. Made expressly for the climate.

Hongkong, April 29, 189J. FOR SALE.

AT THE PEAK.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

THE FALLS' on R. B. L. No. 28.-A Well-built SIX-ROOMED HOUSE, at present let on Lease for one year. For full Particulars, apply to

THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST-MENT & AGENCY Co., Ltd. Hongkong, November 12, 1889. 2153

> Shipping. Steamers.

SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR NEW YORK. The Steamship Monmouthshire. Captain Cuming, will be despatched as above on

or about the 15th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

Hongkong, June 3, 1890.

Agents.

THE OHINA & MANILA STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR MANILA VIA AMOY. The Co.'s Steamship Diamante. Capt. G. TAYLER, will be despatched for the above

RUSSELL & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, June 13, 1890.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR YOKOHAMA, KOBE AND NAGASAKI.

The Co.'s Steamship Bellerophon, Capt. GUTHRIE, will be despatched as above on the 17th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

Agents. Horgkong, June 9, 1890. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY.

for NINGPO, CHEFOO, NEW-

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

CHWANG, TIENTSIN, HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTSZE.) The Co.'s Steamship Captain Brown, will be despatched as above on WEDNESDAY, the 18th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

EASTERN AND AUSTRALIAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR SYDNEY, MELBOURNE AND

ADELAIDE.

(Calling at PORT DARWIN & QUEENS

LAND PORTS, and taking through

Cargo to NEW ZEALAND,

Hongkong, June 11, 1890.

TASMANIA, &c.) The Steamship Catterthun. Captain Danke, will be despatched for the above Ports on FRIDAY, the 20th Just., at 4 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to

RUSSELL & Co.,

The Steamship

Agents. Hongkong, June 9, 1890. SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR HAVRE, LONDON, HAMBURG AND ANTWERP.

- Imbrok shire. Capt, DANCASTER, will be despatched as above on or about the 25th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Hongkong, June 19, 1890.

PRICE, \$2 PER MONTH.

Shipping.

Steamers. THE SCOTTISH ORIENTAL STEAM. SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR BANGKOK (DIRECT.) The Company's Steamer Devawonyse. Captain P. H. Lorr, will

be despatched for the above Ports on SUNDAY, the 15th Inst., at Daylight. For Freight or Passage, apply to

Agents. Hongkong, Jone 13, 1890.

LIMITED. FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW. The Co.'s Steamship

Ports on SUNDAY, the 15th Instant, at Daylight.

General Managers. Hongkong, June 12, 1890.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL. The Co.'s Steamship Dardanus. Captain Pundy, will be despatched us above on

SUNDAY, the 15th Instant, at Daylight. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.

FOR NAGASAKI, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA. (Via Inland Sea.)

Instant. For Freight, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

Hougkong, June 9, 1890. AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY. STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG,

JEDDA, SUEZ, PORT SAID, BRINDISI, TRIESTE & VENICE. CUTTA, MADRAS, PERSIAN GULF, RED SEA, BLACK SEA, LEVANT

The Co.'s Steamship Melpomene will be despatched as above on the 17th Inst., t Noon. Port on MONDAY, the 16th Inst., at 4 p.m.

> and Freight, apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co., Agents.

Sailing Vessels. FOR NEW YORK, The 3/3 L.I.I. American Ship

have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to SIEMSSEN & Co. Hongkong, June 2, 1890.

Charles S. Whitney.
Spicen, Master, will load here
for the above Pert, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to

have quick despatch.

Hongkong, May 30, 1890. FOR NEW YORK. The 3/3 L.1.1. American Ship

For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, June 9, 1890.

Notices to Consignees. MOGUL LINE. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

PENANG & SINGAPORE. CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Kowloon Wharf & Godown Coy., at Kowloon, whence and/or from the wharves lelivery may be obtained. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining after the 16th Iust, will the subject All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on ar before the 16th Instant, or they will not be re-

ADAMSON, BELL & Co.

YUEN FAT HONG,

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY,

Captain Pocock, will be despatched for the above

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.,

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

Hongkong, June 13, 1890. SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS.

The Steamship Deubighshire, Capt. RICKARD, will be despatched on the 16th

Acents.

COLOMBO, BOMBAY, ADEN. HODEIDAH, MASSAWAH, SUAKIM, (Taking Cargo at through rates to CAI-

and ADRIATIC PORTS.)

Cargo will not be received on board after p.m. prior to date of sailing. For further information as to Passage

Hongkong, June 5, 1890.

Paramita. Captain Prescor, will load here for the above Port, and will

FOR NEW YORK. The 3/3 L.1.1. British Ship Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates

> RUSSELL & Co. Landseer.
>
> LAFFIN, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will

STEAMSHIP PATHAN, FROM GLASGOW, LIVERPOOL,

notice to the contrary be given before 4 p.m. To Day.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be oughtersigned by

Notices to Consignees.

AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM TRIESTE, PORT SAID, SUEZ, JEDDAH, SUAKIM, MASSAWAH, HODEDDA, ADEN, BOMBAY, COLOMBO, PENANG & SINGAPORE.

THE S.S. Melpomene having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, are being landed at their risk into the Godowns known BE THE HONGKONG WHARF AND GODOWNE, Wanchai, whence delivery may be obtained. Consignous wishing to receive their Goods

on the Wharf are at liberty to do so. This Vessel brings on Cargo :-From CALCUTTA and MADRAS ox S.S. Scienc, transhipped at Colombo. From TRIESTE, &c., ex S.S. Imperator transhipped at BOMDAY.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Claims must be sent in to the Undersigned BEFORE NOON, OF THE 19TH INST., OR THEY WILL NOT BE RECOGNIZED.

No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 19th Instant will be subject to rent. Bills of Lading will be countersigued by DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.,

Agents. Hongkong, June 12, 1800

THE CHINA SHIPPERS MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COM-PANY, LIMITED.

FROM MIDDLESBRO', LIVERPOOL AND SINGAPORE.

[1] HE Company's S.S. Canfa having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong AND KOWLOON WHARP AND GODOWN COMPANY, Limited, Kowloon, whence delivery may

be obtained. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Claims must be sent in to the Office of the Undersigned, before Noon on the 18th Instant, or they will not be recognized. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods

are to be left in the Godowas, where they will be examined on the 18th Inst., at 4 p.m. No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 18th Instant will be subject to rent. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before 5 p.m. To-day.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Agents. Hongkong, June 11, 1890.

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

STEAMSHIP BRAUNSCHWEIG,

FROM BREMEN AND PORTS OF CALL. THE above-named Steamer having ar-

rived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby

informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables, are being landed and stored at their risk into the Godowns of the Honogong and Kow-LOON WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY, LTD. Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained. OPTIONAL CARGO will go on to Shanghai unless notice to the contrary be given before 4 p.m. To-DAY, the 12th Inst. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 19.h

Instant will be subject to rent. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on WENDESDAY, the 18th Instant, at 4 p.m. - All Claims must reach us before the 19th

Instant, or they will not be recognised. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by MELCHERS & Co..

Hongkong, June 12, 1890.

COLLEGE OF MEDICINE FOR CHINESE.

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ESIDENTS in the Colony would h materially aid the SENATE of the OOLLEGE by forwarding to the Alice MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

(1). Glass Jars (for museum purposes). (2). Illustrated Papers and Books for the Student's Roading Room and Library. Address to JAMES CANTLIE.

Hon. Sec. to the College. Hongkong, August 7, 1888.

To-day's Advertisements.

THE HONGKONG AND KOWLOON WHARF & GODOWN COMPANY,

LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Third Ordinary Annual MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held in the CHAMBER OF COMMERCE ROOM, City Hall, at Twelve o'Clock (noon), on SATURDAY, the 28th June next, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, with a Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1889. The Transfer BOOKS of the Company

Instant, both days inclusive. EDWARD OSBORNE, Secretary. Hongkong, June 14, 1890.

will-be CLOSED from the 19th to the 28th

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

ITIHE Company's Steamship Wingsang having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby in-formed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hono-RONG AND KOWLOON WHARK AND GODOWN Co., LD., at West Point, whonce delivery may be obtained. Cargo remaining undelivered after the 21st Instant will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Consignees are requested to present all Claims for damages and/or shortages not later than the 28th Instant, otherwise they will not be recognized. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, June 14, 1890.

To-day's Advertisements. To-day's Advertisements.

THEATRE ROYAL, CITY HALL. THIS (SATURDAY) EVENING. The Gorgeous Original Barksque in 3 Acts, entitled 'SHE-E!' or The Mines of Solomon and the Queen of the 30th Instant, both days inclusive.

the Annhagger. An Ama Haggard Spectre-cle, in 3 Acts, Special written for THARRY STANLEY'S OPERA AND BURLESQUE COMPANY, By the Author of

LALLA ROOKH. THE SLEEPING BEAUTY,' &c. What's She's is mine, and what's mine's "S'ollo Mine. Author's Motto. Mr H. STANLEY has the pleasure to aunonnce that arrangements have been made for presenting to the public the above mag-

nificent spectacle on a SCALE OF SPLENDOUR Naver before witnessed in this City: ENTIRELY NEW SCENERY. The Music comprises all the Popular LATEST LONDON NOVELTIES. NEW AND SUPERB COSTUMES

Have been prepared according to designs specially drawn for this work. THE OVERFUR 4. Orchestra, under the Conductorship of Mr G. Trimnell. Locals by Mr H. Pyne.

Limelights, Mechanical effects, and Properties by Mr J. F. Lascolles and Assistants. New Ballets, Marches and Evolutions, arranged by Mr F. Fletcher.

Chorus of Beautiful Aborigines, Guards, Amazons, Spothsayers, Witch finders, Citi-1068 zens, Income-tax Collectors, Municipal Commissioners, &c., &c., &c. SCENE - At Khor (Somewhere in Africa). Acr I.—The Swamps of the Nile, ty Night. The Palace of Ayesha, by the

Shores of the Mystic Lake. Acr II .- Throne-Room in the Reck-cut Palace of She-e. Acr III .- The Place de la Vie and Grand

Square in the Capital City of Khor. DON'T FORGET TO NIGHT. Navy, Military, and Volunteers in Uniform, Half Price to Pit. Box Office open from 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. at

Messrs Ketly & Walsh, Limited, where Plan can be seen and Sents secured. Doors open at 8.30, Overture at 9 p.m. . T. EMPSON, Manager. Hongkong, June 14, 1890.

SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

S.S. DENBIGHSHIRE, FROM HAMBURG. ANTWERP, LONDON, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo are heroby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Kow-LOON WHARF & GODOWN Co., at Kowloon, whence and/or from the Wharves delivery.

may be obtained. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon To-DAY. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all

Goods remaining undelivered after the 21st Instant will be subject to rent. All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 21st Instant, or they will not be re-

cognized. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, June 14, 1890.

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR SHANGHAL VIA SWATOW.

aking Cargo & Passengers at through rates for MINGPO, CHEFOO, TIMNTSIN, NEWCHWANG, HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTSZE.)

The Co,'s Steamship Captain Hogo, will be despatched as above on MONDAY, the 16th Instant, at 4 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, June 14, 1890.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW. The Co.'s Steamship Captain HARRIS, will be the above Ports on TUESDAY, the 17th Instant, at 11 a.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, June 14, 1890.

1317 STEAM TO STRAITS AND BOMBAY. (Calling at COLOMBO if sufficient inducement offers.)

The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship
Nizam,
Capt. J. F. Jephson, wi leave for the above places on FRIDAY, the Teresa, for Singapore and Java-20th Instant, at Noon.

E. L. WOODIN. Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office,

NDO-CHINA STEAM NAVICATIO COMPANY, LIMITED.

Hongkoug, June 14, 1890.

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALCUTTA. The Co.'s Steamship

Captain Str. Chorx, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 21st Instant, at 3 p.m.
This Steamer has superior First-class Accommodation, specially constructed to meet the requirements of tropical climates.

For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, June 14, 1890.

FOR SINGAPORE, HAVRE AND HAMBURG.

(Taking Cargo at through rates to ANTWERP, AMSTERDAM, ROTTER-DAM, LISBON, LONDON, LIVER-POOL and BREMEN.) The Steer ship.

Captain P. Motler, will be despatched for the above Ports on MONDAY, the 23 d Just., For Freight or Passage, apply to

SIEMSSEN & Co., Hongkong, June 14, 1590.

HONGKONG AND OHINA GAS COMPANY LIMITED

THE Transfer BOOKS of this Company will be CLOSED from the 14th to. F. W. CROSS.

Horigkong, June 14, 1890. No. 32.

NYOTICE is hereby given that SATUR-IN DAY NEXT, the 21st Instant (5th Moon 5th day), being the CHINESE MID-SUMMER FESTIVAL, will be observed as a HOLIDAY, at the Kowloon Customs'

CUSTOMS NOTIFICATION.

Office, Hulk and Stations. All examination of Cargo and clearances of Junks will be suspended on that date. J. McLEAVY BROWN,

Commissioner of Customs for Kowloon and District. Custom House, Kowloon, 14th June, 1890.

TAKIN BROTHERS OF CHINA, LIMITED. CHEMISTS.

AERATED WATERS. Our Plant comprises the latest improvements, and is one of the most complete and efficient ever shipped from Eng-

The Purity of the water is cortified by The construction of the machinery and system of manufacture in force ensures eleanliness and absonce of all contamination

in the finished waters. The quality of the Soda Water is equal to that of the best English makers. The Flavour of the syruped waters is equal to any produced in England or

PHOSPHOZONE. - A Phosphatic Beverage with delicious fruity flavour-an excellent substitute for alcoholic stimulants. | London, Major and Mrs Brownrigg and |

zer Coast Port Orders receive prompt attention. TELEPHONE No. 62.

Nos. 22 & 24, QUEEN'S ROAD

CENTRAL. Not Responsible for Debts.

AJ either the Captain, the Agents, nor Owners will be Responsible for any Debt contracted by the Officers or Crew of the following Vessels, during their stay in Hongkong Harbour :-D. T. TENNEY, American ship, Capt. D. E. Rodick. - Gibb, Livingston & Co.

MELFOMENE, Austro-Hung, str., Capt. G. Valusing. - David Sassoon, Sons & Co. Sofie, Norwegian barque, Captain P. L. Winckler.—Sienissen & Co.

STATE OF MAINE, a merican ship, Capt E. D. P. Nickels,-Master.

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS. June 13, 1890 :-

Deubiglishire, British steamer, 1,673, S. Rickards, Loudon and Singapore June General,-Adamson, Bell & Co. Canton, British steamer, 1,176, W. Park Odessa April 29, General. - OBDER.

June 14 :-Diamante, British steamer, 514, G. A. Tayler, Manila June 11, General.-Rus-SELL & Co.

China, British steamer, 5,200, W. E Seabury, San Francisco May 21, and Yokohama June 8, Mails and General. - P. M. S. S. Co.

Johann, German steamer, 358, H. Binge, Pakhoi June 11, and Hoihow 12, General -Wieler & Co.

Wingsang, British steamer, 1,517, A. de St. Croix, Calcutta May 30, and Singapore June 8. 3.24 p.m., General.-JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Namyong, British steam r, 891,

Wooldridge, Saigon June 10, General,-BAN MOH & Co.

> DEPARTURES. June 14:-

1081 Nierstein, for Whampon. Verona, for Yekohama. Lombardy, for Singapore and Bombay. A bang, for Nagasaki and Kobe. Fullenburg, for Saigon. Fushun, for Shenghai. Canton, for Nagasaki.

Propertis, for Bangkok. Gaelie, for Amoy, Japan and Sau Francisco. Strathleven, for Yokohan n.

CLEARED. Alwine, for Heihow and Pakhoi. Dardanus, for Singapore and London. J. H. Scammell, for New Yokohama. Johann, for Hollow and Pakhoi Namoa for Coast Ports. Milke Maru, for Saigen. Pollux, for Saigon. Devawongse, for Bungkok. Nantes Le Havre, for Saigon.

> PASSENGRIUS. A RRIVED.

Per Denbighshire, from London, Messra Adams, Sturgeon, and Miss MacEwen, and 82 Chinese Per Diamante, from Manila, Messrs E. Meyer, M. Reyes, and Master M. Vallejo and 75 Chinese.

Per China, from San Francisco, Mr and Mrs Wong He Cheeng and infant, Mr E. For HOIHOW & PARHOL-P. Turner, H. Rolfe, 2 Europeaus, and 261 Chinese; from Yokohama, Messra G. Berg, Edwin Loan, H. Kirk, F. C. Dundas, A. Kune and native servant, A. P. McEwen and notive servant, I European, and 7 Chinese in steerage. Per Wingsang, from Singapore, 319 Chi-

Per Namyony, from Saigon, 50 Chinese. Per Lamburdy, for Singapore, 407 Chi-

Por Fusium, for Shanghai, 100 Chinese. Per Falkenburg, for Saigon, 30 Chinese. Per Propontis, for Bangkok, 12 Chinese. Per Gaelie, for Yokohama, Mrs Greathouse, Mr F. Bornemann, and 1 Chinese for San Francisco, Mr and Mra V. A. O. 1089 Hawkins and infant, and 2 Europeans; for Business Notices.

(LATE THE HALL & HOLTZ CO-OPERATIVE COY., LTD.)

CLEARANCE SALE NOW PROCEEDING.

REDUCED PRICES. PREVIOUS TO EXTENSIVE ALTERATIONS TO PREMISES.

SEE EXPRESSES AND CIRCULARS.

HONGKONG TRADING COMPANY, LD. (LATE THE HALL & HOLTZ CO-OPERATIVE COY., ETD.)

Vocacle Advertised as Loading.

Destination.	Vessels.	Ayents:	Date of Leaving.
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Bangkok	Devawongse (a)	Norddeutscher Lloyd	July 2, at 4 p.m.
dreinen & Ports of Cal		Annan Rull & Co	About June 20.
Havre, L'don & H'bur,		Adamson, Bell & Co	June 15, atdaylight
iondon, v. Suez Cana		Butterfield & Swire	June 16, at 4 p.m.
Ilanila, via Amoy	. Diamante (s)	Mossageries Maritimes	Line 19 at noon.
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. Francisco, v. Japai	n China (8)	Pacific Mail S. S. Co.	Time 18 at 4 m m
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'i ore, Havid& H'our	- 1	Siomssen & Co	Juno 23, at 2 p.m.
straits and Bombay	. Nizam (8)	P. & O. S. N. Co	June 20, at moon.
tow, Amoy & F'cho		Douglas Lapraik & Co	. June 15, at dayingn
'tow, Amoy & F'cho	Haiphong (s)	Douglas Lapraik & Co	June 17, at 11 a.m
'ney, M'one & A'laid	e Catterthun (s)	Russell & Co	. Jane 20, at 4 p.m.
Crieste, &c	Melpomene (s)	D. Sassoon, Sons & Co	June 17, at noon.
Y'hama, Kobé & N'sal	i Bellerophou (s)	Butterfield & Swire	June 17.

POST OFFICE NOTICES.

LAND, COOKTOWN. TOWNSVIL-

LE, BR SBANE, SYDNEY & MEL-

Per Catterthun, at 3.30 p.m., on Friday,

MAILS will close:-

BOURNE.

the 10th inst.

day, the 21st inst.

Malta, and Gibraltar.

closing the Mails, &c.

MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET .-

The French Contract Packet Iraouaddy

will be despatched on THURSDAY,

Sottlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon,

Madras, the Australasian Colonies,

Aden, Natal and the Cape, Egypt,

The usual hours will be observed in

HOURS OF CLOSING THE

ENGLISH AND FRENCH MAILS.

When the Packets leave at Noon.

will be closed at 5 the day before.

Circulars ceases.

one way).

11.00 A.M.—Mail closes.

11.30 a.m. and 3.30 p.m.

o 12 and 4 o'clock.

10.00 A.M.—Registry ceases.

Books, and Patterns ceases.

posted in the Letter Box which has been

placed in the Police Station Compound up

be charged. No Sunday delivery. Senders

Covers containing Bank Notes, &c.,

General-Memoranda.

2 p.m. -Auction of Japanese Ware, &c.,

8.30 p.m. - Public Meeting of British

of Hongkong, at No. 2, High Street.

Goods per Canfu undelivered after this

Goods per Braunschweig undelivered

Transfer Books of The H.K. & Kowloon

this date to 19th Instant, inclusive

2.30 p.m. - Extraordinary Meeting of The

Darvel Bay Trading Co., Ltd., at No.

Goods per Wingsang undelivered after this

Goods per Dendighthire undelivered after

Noon.-Meeting of Shareholders of The

H.K. & Kowloon Wharf & Godown

Wharf & Gedown Co., Ltd., closed from

after this date subject to rent.

Mercantile Marine Officers' Association

at Mr J. M. Armstrong's.

writing the word Stamped across them,

should be registered.

Tuesday, June 17:-

WEDNESDAY, June 18:-

Thursday, June 19:--

9. Queen's Road.

SATURDAY, Bune 28 :--

date subject to rent.

this date subject to rent.

Co., Ltd., at the City Hall,

date subject to rent.

the 23rd inst.

maid, Mr E. R. Hutchinson, Count A. Butter, Mr A. Grappe, Mr and Mrs Jesse FOR PORT DARWIN, THURSDAY IS Herbert; for Liverpool, Mr and Mrs R. M. Jameson, Miss Allen, and Mr G. E. Martin.

To DEPART. Per Dardanus, for Singapore, 6 Europeans, and 600 Chinese. Per Johan s, for Hollow, 50 Chinese. For STRAITS & CALCUTTA .-Per Namoa, for Swatow, 2 Europeans,

1088 and 180 Chinese; for Amoy, Mr Lee Kong Tak, 2 children and 1 servant. Per Milke Moru, for Saigon, 12 Chinese. | For SINGAPORE -Per Pollux, for Saigon, 60 Chinese. Per Devawongse, for Bangkok, 15 Chinese. I'er Alwine, for Holhow, 80 Chinese.

> SHIPPING REPORTS. The British steamer Diamante reports Had light variable breeze and fine weather

The British steamer China reports: Left San Francisco May 21st, at 4 10 p.m. Had fine weather throughout. Arrived June 6th, 9.30 a.m.; left Yokohama June 8th. S. W. winds and thick rainy weather, from Osima to half way across eastern sea, hove to 3 hours east of islands on account of thick weather; fine weather and light S.W. winds, through Formesa Channel; June 13th, 10 miles west of Lammocks, mat a new steamer with red funnel, and black top, showing signals T.W.M C., wished to be reported. Arrived 5.42 a.m., June 14th. The British steamer Wingsing reports: Left Calcutta at 4.45 a.m., 30th ultimo. had fresh to moderate and light Southerly wind and passing rain till arrival at Penang at 5.40 p.m., on the 4th instant ; left Penang at 6.25 p.m., on the 5th instant, had light variable wind and passing rain till arrival at Singapore on the 7th instant, at 9.45 a.m.;

left Singapore at 3.24 p.m. on the 8th inst.; had light Easterly wind and fine weather to The British steamer Denbighshire reports:

Had fine weather throughout. EXPORT CARGOES.

Per Nordd, Lloyd steamer Neckar, sailed 4th June :- For Bromen/Hamburg, 46 bales Feathers; for London, 10 cases Essential Oil and 1 case Private Effects; for Antwerp. 50 cases Bristles, 28 pkgs. Rattancore, 10 cases Preserves. 76 bales Feathers, 18 pkgs. Merchandise and 1 case Essential Oil; for Smyrna, 10 Boxes Essential Oil; for Sucz, 12 cases Merchandise; for Genea, 10 boxes Essential Oil and 132 pkgs. Canes; for New York, 14 pkgs. Fire Crackers. I case Silverware and I case Samples; for Amsterdam, 44 cases Chinaware and 1 case Sundries; for Hamburg, 5 boxes Paper, 319 pkgs. Canes, 25 boxes Staraniseed and 1 case Electro-plated Ware; for Bremerhaven, 25. page. Crackers; for Bremen, 11 boxes Private Effects, o boxes Books, 10 boxes Fans, 7 boxes Sundries, 1 box Lunterns and 1 box

Per American ship Wm. H. Macy, sailed 5th June :- For San Francisco, 7,500 bays Rice, 1,319 bags Tapioca, 31 bags Pepper, 1.330 pkgs. Soy, 935 pkgs. Samshoo, 805 rolls Matting, 2:0 b xcs Oil, 220 boxes Fire Crackers, 100 boxes Preserves, 46 bales Gambier, 1,216 pkgs. Tea particulars un known, 2,200 Empty Quicksilver flasks, and 14,698 pkgs. Merchandiso. Per S. S. Chingwo, sailed 9th June :-For London, 931 boxes Tea, containing 19.551 ib. Congau, 6 846 boxes Tea, contoing 143,766 lbs. Scented Caper, 263 boxes Tea, containing 5,523 fbs. Scented Orange Pekoe, 142 boxes Tea, containing 2,982 lbs. Sorts-total 8,182 boxes, confaining 171,822 ibs. Ten; 433 bales Waste Silk, 115 cases Chinaware, 41 cases Blackwood-ware, 295 cases Palm-leaf Fans, 7 cases Silks, 33 cases Bristles, 100 bales Pierced Cocoons, 100 cases Preserves, 51 bales Canes and 3 cases Sundries. From Manila, 1,060 bales Hemp.

POST OFFICE NOTICES. MAILS will close:-

For STRAITS & NEW YORK.— Per Monmouthshire, at 9 a.m., on Sunday, the 15th inst.

Per Johann at 9 a.m., on Sunday, the 15th inst. For SAIGON. Per Pullux, at 9 a.m., on Sunday, the 15th inst. Per Nantes Le Havre, at 11.39 a.m., on | SATURDAY; June 21 :-

Monday, the 16th inst For SWATOW & SHANGHAL-Per Canton, at 3.30 p.m., on Monday, the 16th inst. For AMOY & MANILA .-

the 10th pst. For SWATOW AMOY & FOODBOW .-Per Haiphong, at 10:30 a.m., on Tuesday, the 17th inst.

Per imant, at 3.30 p.m., on Monday,

MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW Shipping.

Daylight.—Dardanus leaves for London, unfitted to serve in the army, or resident 9 a.m.—Excursion trip by Honom to abroad.

MEMOS, FOR MONDAY. Shipping.

4 p.m. - Diamante leaves for Manile, &c. 4 p.m.-Canton leaves for Shanghai, &c. Denbighshire leaves for Japan Meetings.

3 p.m.—Private Meeting of The Punjom & Sunghio Dua Samantan Mining Co. 4 p.m.—Meeting of Sharcholders of The Punjom & Sunghio Dua Samantan Mining Co., Ltd., at No. 9, Queen's Rd.

Miscellaneous. 6.30 a.m. - Artillery Practice at South Shore Buttery, Stone-cutters' Island. 4 p.m. -Artillery Practice at Bolcher 8

Goods per Pathan undelivered after this date subject to rent.

WINES AND SPIRITS.

BY APPOINTMENT. A. S. WATSON & Co., (ESTABLISHED A.D. 1841.) HONGKONG.

WE invite attention to the following old landed Brands, all of which are excellent quality and good value for the money. The same being specially selected by our, London House, and bought direct from the most noted Shippers, are imported in wood and bottled by ourselves, thus enabling as

to supply the best growths at moderate 20-In ordering it is only necessary to state the name and quantity of Wine or Spirit wanted, and initial letter for quality desired. Orders through Local Post or by Tele-

gram receive prompt attention. PORTS. (For Invalids and general use.) Case. Per Bot. A Alto Douro, good quality, Green Capsule \$10 \$1.00 B-Vintage, superior quality,

C Fine Old Vintage, superior Per Wingsang, at 2.30 p.m., on Saturquality, Black Seal Cap-D Very Fine Old Vintage, oxtrasuperior, Violet Cap-Per Electra, at 1.30 p.m., on Morday, Bule (Old Bottled) . . . 18 SHERRIES. A Delicate Pale Dry, dinner wine, Green Capsule . 6 -0.60

B Superior Pale Dry, dinner wine, Green Seal Capsule 7.50 0.75 O Manzanilla, Pale Natural the 19th June, with Muils to the United Kingdom, Europe, and places be-Sherry, White Capsule . 10 1.00 CC Superior Old Dry, Pale yond, via Marseilles; to Saigon, Straits Natural Sherry, Red Seal D Very Superior Old Pale Dry, choice old Wine, White Seal Capsule 12

Dry, very finest quality. Black Seal Capsule (Old . 14 1.25 Per Case. Per Case. 1 doz. 2 doz. Quarts. Pints. The following hours will be observed in CLARETS.

E Extra Superior Old Pale

closing the Mails for Europe, &c., by the Red Capsule English and French Packets, when they B St. Estephe, Red Capsulo. leave at Noon. The Money Order Office C St. Julien D La-Rose 8.00 A.M.—Posting of Prices Current and (Prices Current and Circulars may BRANDY. however be posted up to 10 o'clock A Hennessy's Old Pale, Red

A Superior Breakfast Claret,

if they are tied in bundles, country . \$12 \$1.10 Capsule . by country, with the addresses all B Superior Very Old Cognac, Red Capsule . C Very Old Liqueur Cognac, 10.30 A.M.—Posting of Newspapers, D Hennessy's Finest Very Old Liqueur Cognac, 1872 Me-LATE LETTERS may be posted (from Vintage, Red Capsule 24 2.00 11.10 A.M.) with 10 cents late fee up to

SCOTCH WHISKY. 11.30 A.M., after which hour they may A Thorne's Blend, White be sent on Board with the same Late B Watson's Glenorchy Mellow Blend, Blue Capsule, with Name and Trade Letters Parcels. &c., for Kowloon Point and steamers in Harbour may be Mark. posted in the General Post Office up to C Watsou's Abelour-Glonlivet, Red Capsule, with Name Letters from Kowloon Point may be and Trade Mark

D-Watson's H K D Bland of

the Finest Scotch Malt

Whiskies, Violet Cap-Local rates will be charged. To avoid robbery, senders of letters from E Watson's Very Old Liqueur Scotch Whisky Gold Cap-Kowloon are requested to cancel their stamps by writing the word stamped across sule IRISH WHISKY. A John Jameson's Old, Green Covers containing Bank Notes, Jewellery &c. should be registered. Capsule

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TELEGRAMS. [SUPPLIED TO THE CHINA MAIL 1]

(Via Lou'hern Line.)

HONGKONG, SATURDAY, JUNE 14, 189.

THE SILVER BILL LONDON, 12th June, 1890 The American Senate, in imance committee, has amended the Caucus Bill, re-

after passing and is valid for a decade.

(From the Stateman.)

GERMAN MILITARY POLICY. Daylight.—Namoa leaves for Coast Ports. Berlin, May 22.—It is stated to be the Daylight.—Devouconges leaves for B'kok. Chancellor's intention to tax all Germans Berlin, May 22,-It is stated to be the

> THE REVOLUTION IN BRAZIL. London, May 22. The aspect of affairs in Brazil is becoming more serious. News received here says that two Northern States have revolted. In the riots at Puerto Alegre 27 rioters were killed and 41 were more or less acriously injured.

THE AMERICAN SILVER BILL. London, May 24,-The Times money editors are advised on good authority that the Silver Bill will be passed, President Harrison probably agreeing on grounds of

A FIERY PROBIBITED MEETING IN IRELAND. London, May 26. - A prohibited meeting. was held at Tipperary yesterday. A body of police marched to the place of meeting and endeavoured to disperse it. Resistance was offered and the police charged the throng, with batons, wounding many. Nine members of Parliament were present thereat Explosives were thrown, but without any effect.

LUCAL AND GENERAL.

PASSED SURZ CANAL. OUTWARD BOUND :- Henngshan, May 20; Beniedi, 28; Hector, 27; Coroniandel, Cyclops, Diomed, Glencuales, Nestor, Alberta, Malabar, Russia, June 3. HOMEWARD BOUND :- Niobe, May 20; Kaisar i-Hind, Telemachus, 27 ; Agamemnon, Bayern, Daphne, 30; Patroclus,

The M. M. Co.'s ateamship Ocus, with the French mail of May 16, left Singapore on Wednesday, June 11, at 11 a.m., and may be expected here on or about Tuesday, the 17th June. This packet brings replies to letters despatched from Hongkong on April 9.

Vancouver for Japan and this port on The O. S. S. Co.'s s.s. Bellerophon, from Liverpool, left Singapore for this port

on the 9th June, and is due here on the 15th June. The P. & O. Co.'s extra steamer Gualior left Singapore on the 9th June at 4 p.m., and may be expected here on or about the 15th June. The D. D. R. s.s. Iphigenia left Singapore on the 10th June, and may be expected here on or about the 16th June.

the 17th June. The s. s. Crown of Arragon, from Antwerp, left Singapore on June 11, and may be expected here on June 17. The E. & A. S.S. Co.'s s. s. Calterthun left Port Darwin on the 8th June, and may

The new Indo-China s. s. Lienshing, from London, leaves Singapore on the 15th June, and may be expected here on or about the 21st June. The P. & O. Co.'s extra s. s. Shanghai left Bombay for this port on the 4th June.

Matins :- Venite, Stainer | Pealms, Cooke, Woodward & Dupuis; To Deum, Stainer in O. Benedictus, Garrett: Anthem, Rejuice in the Lord; Kyrie, Miasa de Angelia : Hymn, 163; Offertory, 367. Evensong :- Psalms, Oakeley : Magnificat,

nese Midsummer festival, will be observed Case. Per Bot. as a holiday at the Kowloon Customs Office, hulk and stations. DIVINE SERVICE FOR SEAMEN, -On Sunday

> a.m. service at St. Peter's Seamen's Church, returning about 12.30. Business was begun to-day at the new Peak Hotel, a portion of the new building having been completed. The Hotel is very conveniently situated. The old small hotel on

THERE coolies in the employ of Mr L. K. 12 1.10 Davis were charged before Mr Robinson, in the Police Court to-day, with refusing 0.75 to obey a lawful order. They were fined \$2 each, with the alternative of 15 days' hard labour, and were ordered to enter into their Old, Green Capsula ... 12 1.10 own recognisances for \$10 each to be of good behaviour for three months.

> STANLEY'S company performed 'The Mikado! last night in the Theatre Royal before a fairly large audience. The piece went was reached, and even then not to any ness and spirit in the performance generally, and the music hardly got so much even from a company whose musical falcut is not of the highest order. On the other hand, the addience was somewhat unresponsive and did not a ways adequately recognise what was deserving of recognition. Mr Pyne as Ko Ke was very good, and he certainly spared no effort to do justice to the part. Mr Kletcher's Fook End was also a praiseworthy. performance. Miss Amy Childs had no chance of appearing to advantage in such a part as Names Poor. The Three Little maids, Misses Schlericks, Santley and Maitland, performed their parts very pleas. Tught, and they were duly encored for their trie. Mes Fainy Stauley as Kalisha very

much improved the impression she had made in her provious appearances. The ed good service in the concerted pieces,

Yangisé, June 9.

The Canadian Pacific s. a. Zbyssinia left

The O. S. S. Co.'s r. s. Titan, from Liverpool, left Singaporeon the 11th June, and may be expected here on or about

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ORDER OF CHORAL SERVICE AT ST. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL - 2ND SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY.

Macfarren : Nuno Dimittis, Monk Hymns, 264 & 197. SATURDAY next (21st inst.), being the Chi-

morning, between 9 and 10,30 o'clock, the 18 1.50 steam launch carrying the Bethel flag will call alongside any vessel hoisting codo pennant C., to convey men ashore to 11

> the site was very popular, and we have no doubt the large new place will be much

4.50 0.40 somewhat languidly at first and the audience 5.25 0.50 | did not cathuse much till the second act 13 1.00 great extent. There was a lack of bright-Ouracoa Heering's Cherry Cordial Justice done to it as one might expect The publication of this issue commenced

moving the bullion redemption clause and Mikado has but little to do in the piece, but making provision for free coinage under even that little seemed too much for Mr. certain conditions; the act operates a month Boyd. Mr. Ligdiard as Fish Twis render-

Mrssns Jardine, Matheson and Co. inform us that the new Indo-China S. N. Co.'s s.s. Lieushing, from London for this port, wil leave Singapore to morrow at daylight.

SHORTLY after nine o'clock last night, a Chinese watchman employed on board the B.s. Propontis fell overboard and was not seen again. It is supposed that he must bave fallen usleep while sitting on the rail of the vessel.

Tue Turkish frigate Ertougroul, on a special mission with a decoration for the Emperor of Japan, arrived at Yokohama on the 7th

Information has been received at the Japanese Foreign Department, from the Japanese Legation in Seoul, that the Teio Tailii (Queen Dowager) of Coren died on Wednesday (4:h. Jone.) She had been ill for some t mo past. Her ago was 83 years.

A TELEGRAM to a Japan contemporary states that in the oth instra fracas between three Japanese mun of war's men and 18 sailors from the U.S. man-of-war Omaha, occurred at Nagasaki. Proceedings were to be taken in the U S. Consulate against the American sailors concerned.

Say Francisco, 12th May. - Advices received in San Francisco state that the schooner Eliza Mary, bound for Australia, having 79 persons on board, was driven upon the for the forgery of the initials on 6th May, that blooming clew and passengers were killed, rousted, and eaten by the camibals who captured them, Mallicolo is a large island of the New Hebrides group; it is about 60 miles long and 28 broad, and lying to the S. H. of Espiritu Santa,

Tue Pinana Gazette has been informed that the Raish of Edic has forbidden the export of pepper from his country to that port, in order to have a hold on those of his people who own the article, and thus coerce them into helping him against his Achinese foek. The latter, in Achen Proper, are said to be in sore straits owing to the strict blockade now enforced by the Dutch on the coast which takes effect in raising prices to famine height, and stopping the export of pepper, their staple export article. The Dutch expect to starve the Achinese ou within six months or so.

THE King of Siam is in Singapore and the local papers are beginning to tell stories about him. Here is one from the Singapore Free Press :- His Majesty the King of Siam can say a very neat thing, as witness a humorous remark His Majesty made when visiting a certain place of business it town. On being shown a knife with many blades the intelligent assistant, zenious for the interest of this firm, named a right royal price for the article. Smiling as h turned the knife over in his hand, the King is reported to have said :- Well. don't think this knife would kill anybody but I am afraid its price would! With which sharp thrust the King passed on,"

With regard to the war-ship trouble at Colombo, the Ceylon Ob erver says :- We are given to understand that the Government was quite within its rights in allowing three Spanish men-of-war to enter the harbour last Saturday, and yet refusing to allow two French troopships to do so some time ago. The port rule which has been so often referred to, is said to affect troopships only, and not men-of-war, respecting which no rule exists. The order comes from the Imperial authorities and the Colonial Government have nothing more to do with it than seeing it obeyed. If this is so the explanation must be considered satisfac-

Ar the commencement of the present cen tury, according to a Madras paper, the number of Catholics in India was 475,000 whereas two years ago, the members of the Church lind increased to 1,675,000, giving an increase of 800,000, or on an average nearly 9,000 Christians a year, and now it is probable that an accurate census would show not less then two millions. Taking all drawbacks into consideration, our contemporary thinks this is not only satisfactory, but proven beyond a doubt that as far as the Catholic Missions are concerned, the preaching of the Guspel has produced fruits which, humanly speaking, bear more than a fair proportion to the means employed.

THE GREAT BANK FRAUD CASE. - The Statesman of India says :- Since the announcement made in these columns several weeks sgo, that there had been a serious deficit in the accounts of the Chartered Mercantile Bank of India, Australia and China, the cashier, Baboo Shama Churn Sen, has been under suspension. It was also stated that the Baboo's movements were being watched; but it was discovered on Friday that the cashier had bolted from Calcutta, and the agent immediately applied for a warrant for his arrest. In the absence of the magistrate from court, the application was made in his privato residence, but up to yesterday however the police had been unable to ascertain his whereabouts: meanwhile as the Baboo is possessed of considerable property in Calcut a, Mr Farr, solicitor on talent of the Bank authorities, applied to his Lordship Mr Justice Wilson to declare the abscording cashier an insolvent. His Lordship granted the application, and made the usual vesting order on the official assignee, with direction to the insolvent to file his schedule within two months of the service of the order. The warrant issued by the magistrate charges the cashier with criminal breach of trust in respect of Rs. 4 62,876.

THE MARINA EMBEZZLEMENT

Gabriel Jorge, clerk, who is charged with embezzling about \$1,000 belonging to Mr. J. A. Barretlo, secretary to the Hongkong Marina Co., Limited, was again brought before Mr Wodehouse in the Police Court to-duy.

Mr Mossop, who appeared on belialf of the prisoner; tendered a pleasof 'suily' with reference to three sums of \$31, 850 and \$51, appropriated on the 7th and 9th That the report written by the Sinitary inst., and saked his Worship to deal with the case summarily. The complainant, Mr Barretto, was willing to sgree to this, Mr. Mossop added, and he urged Lis Worship to adopt this course on account of the prisoner's youth. He thought his Worship might be the more ready to deal with the case in this way in consider, tion of the fact that the prisoner belonged to a respectable family to whom this matter was a sovere

His Worship could not see his way to That, Mr Prancis is always pungout, somedispose of the case summarky, and further evidence was heard.

J. A. Barretto, recalled, said. The prisoner soludly entered my employ on the That 'funking' may be a word which you

1st or 2nd of August 1889. He was taken on as a probationer for one month. There was not much doing at the time, and during that mouth he did anceis! work. I did not employ a clerk again for nearly six weeks, and after that I took the prisoner on again. Since then he lias romained in my service until now. I paid money into the bank from time to time on behalf of the Hongkong Marino, and while the prisoner has been in my employ I have almost invariably sent him with the money. My other clerk,

named Demee, has also taken money to the bank, but I can't hav when: By Mr Mossop-I am willing to accept a plea of 'guilty' on the first three charges. J. M. Andrews sub-accountant; Charlered Bank, recalled, said-I produce the ledger of the bank. Payments made on any day

or on any particular account are entered on the same day and credited to the accounts. The ledger is written up by one of the clerks and is checked by one of us. I produce the Hongkong Marina account. Thereis no entry of \$95 on 9th April last, although the paying in book makes it appear that there was. There is an entry of \$100 on 6th May as shown in the paying in book,

but the initials in the paying in book with reference to that payment are a forgery of my initials. There are no entries of \$85 on 12th May and \$90 on 24th May, although according to the paying in book there should be. The practice in regard to money paid in at the counter is that the shroll initials the bank part of the paying in book and then sends the book to us, when we initial both parts and return the book. The bank slips are then handed to the ledger clock and he retains them. The only way I can account

reefs off Mallicolo in a gale of wind, and when \$100 appears to have actually been paid in, is that the money may have been brought while either I or Mr Stewart was at tiffin and that somebody inserted the initials rather than bring the book to us. On the 24th March last 8616 were paid in. The initials with reference to that are also a forgery, and the figure 2 in the total shown in the paying in book (\$626) uppears to have been altered from I. He

may have received \$626 and entered in the paying in book \$616; he might then have paid in \$616 and altered the figure to \$626. efore showing the book to the secretary. J. A. Barretto, recalled and shown the entry referred to, said the middle figure sconed to have been altered.

The case was adjourned till Monday, bi Worship stating, in reply to Mr Mostop that he would do his best to got the evidonce completed in time to let the ease come before this month's Criminal Sessions.

'FRAGRANT WATERS' MURMUR That the letter written by General Bevar Edwards to the Australian Premier was nothing more than a diplomatic fillip : its publication was a blunder, which, in

political sense, is worse than a crime. That the federation of the Australian colo nies against a common enemy (whoever he may be) is a foregone conclusion, and the Australian Colonists will be tough customers to meet, and exceedingly tough customers to defeat.

That, as you suggest, Transit Passes fo Canton and neighbourhood would open a sea of troubles for the Chinese authorities, and accentuate more than anything else could the governing difficulties which still exist between Peking and the Southern Provinces.

That the Viceroy of the Two Kwang re mains comparatively independent of the Contral Government of Peking as regards financing.

That the Likin and other riverine imposts have been imposed and collected merrily because merchants would not fight the Tranzit Pass question.

That twenty or thirty years ago the bold and independent protest of the Dotton Yarn hongs just issued would have been

exceedingly risky, if not impossible. That Sir John Walsham deserves credit for the prompt way in which he advised the local Government of Hongkong of

the collarse of the Opinm squeeze. That prolably Sir Robert Hart had much more to do with the killing of this Cock Robin than the British Minister.

That of late it has become more clearly apparent than formerly that to foster That shares of \$10 cach are referred to, legitimate trade in China is the peculiar duty of the Chinese Imperial Maritime Customs Service, under the Inspector General.

That this aspect of things places the Customs on the side of Foreign Morchants and of Progress, and egainst the shortsighted or delusive policy of the Chinese authorities.

that each time the High Authorities at Peking overrule the threatened action of Viceroys in such matters, the stronger will the central power become, and the

better will it be for the Empire. That the recent seizure of opium by the Hongkong Police revenls a curious state of affairs, which has long been supposed to exist but is seldom demonstrated. That the reason given by the Chinese boat-

men for the tying up, weighting, and buoying of the opium balls is, to provide against loss in case of collision! That there can be little doubt every precaution was taken to observe strictly the

without coming into collision with passin eraft or troublesome authorities. That the crucial tests of the Public Health Bill are drawing nearer and nearer, and some of them will soon have to be made. Superintendent three years ago upon overcrowding, shortly before the Public

torical sketch of the subject up to that That perliaps the care and consideration there shown for the Chinese were more than the case demanded, but it must bo borne in mind that outlets must be provided before overcrowding is hunted

Health Bill was passed, gives a fair his-

times to acrimoniousness; but his pupgency has usually an abuse or a bad ayatem to aim at.

are more certain to find in a Slang Die tionary than in the recognised vocabularies of our language, but it is very

expressive, That this same word expresses perhaps more correctly than any other the administration of Hongkong for the last twenty or thirty years.

That much has been done to improve the D'Oyly Carto her resignation to-night, to Colony and to bring about reform, but still more has been left undone, by 'fun-

That the water storage was tackled by Mr Price, while the drainage system and the distribution of the water were funked. by that able official.

That the ever-changing nature of Colony, the want of continuity in any system of official work, caused by changes in the departments, from the Governor the production of a new comic opera in downwards, ronder any other result almost impossible.

that, as the Registrar General said, two of his predecessors had 'funked' the regulation of coolie lodging-houses, and he declined to enter upon the hopeless contest. That the 'funking 'of the Board three years ago cannot be any louger justified, save way, in Carte's own words. by the neglect of the Executive to provide for overcrowded neighbourhoods.

That it must be remembered that you cannot compel a coolie to pay more rent than he is able to pay, any more than you can take the breeks from a Hielanman who wears no pants over his hose.

That the question of overcrowding in the much longer than it has been here.

stoppage, of overcrowding means doubling of his rent, and no loss to the landlerd, trouble is sure to accompany such injustice.

That the public will look axiously for the the overcrowding promised by the Sanitary Board That the strictures passed recently by Mr. O. Chadwick upon the system of accounts in the Public Works Department are re-

called to mind by the Secretary of State's despatch. That the practice of spending money before } it was voted, and using funds voted for one purpose to carry out another, have for years been things generally known in

That, as Mr Chadwick said and the Secre tary of State plainly hints, you never know where you are. That I believe the present Surveyor General has set his face resolutely against many such irregularities.

Hongkong.

tition is at an end.

That Mr Brown and his large staff will find it no easy task to put his house i order, in accordance with the instructions of Lord Knutsford; for the chaotic (and even unrecorded) heritage left by his predecessor is almost beyond ratelling. That the Kwoon Kwan Yeen Cup has at last been won, and the see-saw compe-

That Mr Woodin has taken the big prize, and Mr Ford the second, and as perseprizes have been well won. That enthusiasm has not entered largely into this competition—only endurance. That Mr Seth Smith's appeal to the Naval Volunteer of Hongkung has not raised

any visible excitement or loyalty. That the memories which hover over the Bowen Rumsey Auxiliary Flotilla are not of the most happy kind, That the cut of the pants to be worn by the Naval Voluntee s was said to be the

rock upon which the movement made shipwreck. That I rather think this question of pants was really a side issue, as there were also whisperings of iron shields for the pro-· tection of the steam-launches of the proposed flatilla.

That the Silver Question has been again attracting attention by the rise in exchange, and prophets say that the rise will continue. That the puzzling points of the Sil or Pro blem will be lo ked upon as harmless in the face of a dollar at 3/6d or 3/7d.

That the long-talked-of railway scheme between Canton and Kowloon is again talked of, and with more definiteness than formerly.

and the hopes of Progressists are of the most lively description. That the Vicercy will give almost any con-

cession for a consideration in ready money, and this readiness may help the That whether the railway, if constructed, will help anyone save the Kowleon land-

owners, is an open question. That the concession made to M. Schaed li at Dongtrieu (ll-iphong), on which it is believed coal will soon be worked, is another hopeful sign for this Colony. That the game of Golf flourishes in the

Wong-nei-cheong, spite of the nastypond, into which the Celestial 'caddies' have to swim to recover lost balls, and this obstacle makes up at present for the tough whinbushes of the Home links. That the Directors of the Peak Hotel are to be congratulated upon completion of a

portion of the new building. That the efforts of the genial Thomas to cater for his guests have become a household word, and Mine Host will no doubt be kept busy, now that the hot weather has fairly set in. That the Tramwhy Company might now provide tiffin and dinner trams to suit the

That the apple has had an unenviable distinction since the day the first garden was planted on earth. rules of the road-viz, to get off clear That however there was no 'discord' attachs ing to the fruit of that name dispensed by our best philanthropist from the deck of the Gulhrie

> That the feelings of the Boy who stood on the burning deck' must have been frigid compared to the conscientious glow that must have warmed the breast of our recently-returned citizen. That the man who can forego the anticipated pleasure of apple dumpling to mi-

pister to the wants of a crew reduced to the shortest of commons, is indeed worthy of a medal. That is the matter of opening Chung-king Chinese dirlomacy bas very successfully and not ungracefully bemboczled Western politicians. That the Chinese theoretically soknowledge

practice reduce give to the minimum. That our legislators are only half posted as to many matters relating to Chilis. That the question was lately asked in the House, would English men-of-war from time to time visit Chang-king. That the question r was of course not aware

the principles of give and take, but in

that no vessel at present flying the British Naval flag could find her way to Chung. BROWNIE

NEWS BY THE AMERICAN MAIL. OLDERT'S TEMPER CAUSES A ROW WITH

London, May 15 .- The split between Gilbert and Sullivan means, practically, the breaking up of the entire Savoy company. Geraldine Ulmar, who came from America three years ago to take the position of prima donna at the Savoy, handed take effect on June 15th. Both Sir Arthur Sullivan and D'Oyly Carte are in a furious rage because wilbert has formed a combination with Alfred Cellier who wrote Dorothy, and who, the British critics say, is the coming man in comic opera. Cellier's music is much lighter and more Frenchy than-Sullivan's, and it is thought that when he is working jointly with a librettist like Gilbert he will have a clinice he has never had before to show what he can do. Gilbert has his new bunk all complete. He is meeting Collier to night to arrange for

D'Oyly Carto was seen to-day at the Savoy Theater with regard to the rumored separation of Sullivan and Gilbert. He said that the report was quite true. There was absolutely no chance of a settlement of the dispute between them, which occurred this

October, probably at the Lyrie Theatre.

Both Miss Ulmar and Marie Tempest are

now mentioned as prima donnas in this

'On Gilbert's recent rothen from India he and Sir Arthur met in the Savoy to balance accounts. Gilbert objected to a certain outly for seer ory and carpets for the " Gondolier lle said; in a very abusive man-"The expenses are unwarrantable and excessive, and I demand a fresh agreement because you, D'Oyly Carte, are making too much money out of my brains," argued with him, but to no purpose. He became more violent and referred the matlarge cities at Home has been 'funked' ter to Sukivan, who upheld me, whereupon Gilbert shouted: "You are no gentleman or you should answer to me. You are both That if the ignorant Chinanan finds the black-guards," and he rushed out of the

the joffice, using shocking language On the following day Gilbert wrote an insulting letter to Sullivan to the effect that unless Sir Arthur apologized for sustaining me and agreed to sever all connection with me, he (Gilbert) should insist on dissolv practical recommendations for abating ing the partnership. Sir Arthur replied "I think that it is the very best thing to do, as I am thoroughly disgusted at your ungentlemanly conduct." They have not

spoken since, but are now bitter enemies." Cilbert swears that he will never allow any of the operas produced by the new firm to be played in America. Sullivan will probably collaborate with George R. Sinis. STANLEY'S PLAIN TALK TO THE ENGLISH.

London. May 13.—The reception to Stanley in Guildhall to-day was an onthusiastic affair. A dense crowd thronged the approaches and the guests numbered 2,000. The Lord Mayor presented to the explorer a gold casket containing an address from the corporation of London.

Stanley, in returning thanks, said that the Congo might have belonged to England had Englishmen listened to his lectures between 1878 and 1884. Belgium was reaping 100 per cont profit. England might have: had East Africa, but her journalists see everything through an opaque glass. Germany to-day has the lion's share and cannot fail to win in the long run. Wissmann never. heard of such things as Quakerism, peace societies, anti-enterprise companies and namby pamby journalism, all of which are. clogs to every hearty endeavor made by verance deserves to be rewarded, the England. He hoped that the Government would remember the services of his companious and not chill their young souls with the neglect which first warped poor Gordon after his heroic achievements in China. 🐇

> Paris, May 19.—In the interview recently had with him by Dessoux, a French have united with the Protestant missions took place at the Trocadero Music Hall journalist, Bismarck said that the danger tin that part of Africa to support Mwanga last evening when the baililf sought to colahead lay in the sentimental anger of the French over the loss of Alsace Lorraine Supposing France and Russia crushed Germany, he said, who would be the gainer? Russia would certainly then devour France. Germany was the balwark of Western Europe against Russian invasion.

Talking with a correspondent of the Novoe Vrennya of St. Petersburg, the ex-Chancellor declared that sustria was not so near decry as people imagined. German needs Austria for the same reason that Russia needs France. War between Germany and Russia would be a great mistake, but was for many reasons atmost impossib'c. The labor conference was a blow in the air. The discontent of capitalists was much more dangerous than the discontent of workmon. HOW QUEEN VICTORIA LOOKS AFTER THE

London, May 9. - An example of the niggardtiness of her Majosty the Queen is furnished in her dealings with the paints r Lockhart, who has just finished a picture, executed to her Majesty's order, tepresent. ing the scene in Westminster Abbey on the coession of the Queen's jubiler.

The picture contains 387 portraits and represents three years' fibor . The completion of the work involved several months of travel on the continent in order to obtain the likenesses, and also compelled. the artist to hire a town house in which to obtain sittings from members of the royal 31,389.] family and other person ges whose portraits could not be otherwise procured. The total expense to Lockhart has been the burning of Tomsk, the capital of tion which she recently underwent the many thousand pounds, to say nothing of Western Siberia. The place was visited astrologers who advised the journey to while engaged on this commission, yet the cyclone, the result being the destruction of headed. Queen has ordered the payment to him of three-quarters of the town and the loss of

of all obligations. For the sale of appearances, if from no higher motive, it is probable that some intorested person will see to it that the painter be not left to mourn the loss of a large sum of money through his eff ris to gratify the vanity of the old lady.

CAPRIVI MAKES A GREAT HIT IN THE Peichstag, & London, May 12 .- The Morning Post's Berlin correspondent says :- By to-day's speech in the Reichstag Von Caprivi passed with one bound to the first rank of European statesmen. The opinion universally was followed by a sudden fall in tempera- ments to the amount of 11,000,000 lire. expressed in the lobbies is that, in compari- ture. Soon the devastated city was buried There still remains a deficit of 9,000,000 On Bombayson with his predecessor, he has nothing beneath a month of snow, and the stinging lire. whatever to fear. His speech was an intelle civil treat of the first order. His shelterless men, women and children. whole bearing, and especially the strength revealed by his conciliatory manner toward his opponents, showed nobility of nature, high integrity and clearness of purpose. The Emperor and Europe are to be congra-

All the Berlin correspondents agree that adroitsess of a dip'omatiat. A-LETTER FROM EMIN.

Cuiro, May 12.-Dr Zucchetti, has received a letter from Emin Paska dated Bas gamoyo, March 31st. Emin says: When left the hospital I found myself between the Boghish and the Germane. My decisions to re are to the heart of Africa in the interest of the Germans was taken when I new the English were endeavoring to derive advantages from the prestige of my name. With reference to Stanley and Tippoo Tib, I have information in my possession which; if published, would oreate a great geneation.

Stanley will be the first to stir up the peapie against mo. GLADSTONE EXPLAINS HIS VIEWS REGARDING

THE CHINESE RESTRICTION ACT. London, hisy 15 .- Gladstone line written a lotter in explanation of the remarks on the Chinese question on the occasion of his presentation of an address to Thomas Buyley Potter at the Cobden Club on Monday lust, when he criticised the anti-Chinese laws in operation in the United States, and declared that the Chinese were more dreaded for their vir ues than their vices. The Liberal leader says that he did not mean to be understood as favoring unlimited Chinese immigration, but that, limited numbers, they are no more harmful than other races or classes. He admits that legislation restricting the number of Chinese to be annually landed is necessary but condemns the policy of wholly closing ports to the people of one nationality while leaving them open to others no more desirable as citizone.

ENGLAND IN AFRICA. London, May 11 .- English interests in Central Africa have had a serious setback in the recapture of the kingdom of Uganda from King Mwanga by King Kalema. In April news was received that the British Bast African Company had concluded from Ces with the Christianised monarch Mwanga and his chiefs, which placed the King and air the Ugundas territory, and possessions under the control of the British company. This virtual amexation of Uganda was done with the intention of blocking the way to the advancement of the Germans northward of Victoria Nyanza and preventing them from attempting to place Emin Pasha in his old province.

The Germans were chagrined at the English getting about of them, for, at the time when the treaty of Uganda was made the German party, under Herr Borchert, had built a fartified station in the neighborhood of Mt. Kenia, while Dr Poters, 50 often reported dead, was at Lake Baringoa, both going toward Ug inda. The English made great, haste to

strengthen their position with King Mwan. ga. A new ecclesinatical dignitary, Bishop lucker, was immediately sent out from London to take the position formerly held by Eishops Harrington and Parker. dealy, the tables are again turned, Arabs recently gathered to the assistance of the dethrened Kalema and succeeded in expelling Mwanga and the Protestant and Oatholic missionaries from the capital to an unassalable position on Sesso island in Lake Victoria, and replacing Kalema as Meanwhile F. J. Jackson, the officer of the British company who made the treaty with Mwanga, is thought to be with the defeated forces and with Protestant and Catholic missioneries on the island above mentioned, whence an attempt to recapture the capital will have to be made.

English geographers do not say much on the subject of Ug anda just now, but they do a large amount of thinking. believe that the struggle with Germany for the possession of the lake regions is growing very carnest, and that it was a serious mistake to have allowed Stanley to drive Emin to the service of Germany, a man who has undoubtedly had vast influence with the Arabs, and who will be of incal culable assistance to his new employers. Unin himself is now on his way to Ta bera and the kingdoms lying between the southern end of Victoria Nyai za and the

northern end of Lake Tanganyiko. By bringing several native chiefs of thi region into alliance with Germany and pushing the line of German stations toward Lake Tanganyika the English schemo of gaining possession of the waterway routes connecting the sources of the Zambesi and the Nile will be snoilt. London, May 17th .- Authoritative lef

ters from Uganda confirm the news the King Mwanga is again reigning permanenth HOW BISMARCK LOOKS AT THE SITUATION is ind securely and that he has placed himsel under the protection of the British East African Company. The Roman Catholics and secure the stability of his throne and less the amount of a judgment against Bosharmony of interest in Uganda.

Tomsk, in Western Siberia, has been was a party to the action, a lawyer's clerk almost completely destroyed by flood and and two baliffs pounced on the pair. Manfire. Many lives were lost. [The city is chester jumped out of the far side of the the seat of the province of the same name, v hicle, and having a good start, ran frautiwhich lies north of Chinese Turkestan and | odly down the street, jumped into anoth, r botween Tobolsk and Semipalatinsk. It is cab and disappeared. one of the chief chies of Siberia, second Miss Bellwood was taken into the private only to Itkutsk. The great Siberian high- office of the manager. The ushers and way from Tynnen to Irkutsk passes through stage hands at once assembled and threw by steamer from the Urals. It was chiefly ter proceeded to the police station, and, a commercial center, with many warehouses | having obtained a posse, returned and ar and wholesale shops. It is built on two rested the singer. The money was subseterraces on the right bank of the Yom, and | quently paid and she was released. The is divided by the Usharke. Many of its manager of the theater and assistants will form. He will arrive in London at the steep, narrow streets are lined with the bearraigned at the Mariborough police stamussive stone residences of wealthy merely tion for assaulting the efficers. ants, but they were not on the whole

A large cathedral begun twenty-seven Shah's first favorite wife to Europe will yours ago collapsed after considerable pro- cost £20,000. Her journey from Tcherau gress had been made, and thus ended what to Vienna occupied four weeks, and the was intended for one of the handsome expenses were £680. The fees of the two capacity, the offensive language having structures of Sineria. Plans have been surgeons who attended her in Vienna and been used in a speech from an election drawn for a spacious building for libraries, operated on her left eye amounted to musonins, clinical hospitals etc., but the £1600, and another £1000 has been paid Givernment's tardiness in giving its sanc- for the hire of a villa at Frazenbad, where tion to the outerprise delayed its construc- | the Sultana is to go for a month before re-

The population of the city in 1834 was

scenes are reported to have occurred during her and if she had died during the operasimultaneously by a confligration and a Vienna would assuredly have been bethe paltry sum of £1000 in full settlement hundreds of lives. The cathedral is in ashes. The falling walls crushed the ad | that negotiations between Simmons, repre--jacent hospital, burying the inmutes, who senting the British Government, and the

in saving lives and property. The bishop termination. The Pope dis, layed a desire and pricate marched through the burning to effect a settlement satisfactory to Engcity with sacred omb ems, and administered | land. absolution to the dying and blessed the

The panic stricken sufferers huddled to Deputies to day the Minister of the Treagether in the streets, believing that the end | sury announced amendments to the budget | of the world had come. They abandoned effecting a reduction of 15,000,000 lire on themselves to stolid despair. The storm army and pavy estimates and other reteachcold added to the sufferings of thousands of BULL FIGHTISG BYCOMING A PASSIONABLE Minister of Justice, and the Governor of SPORT IN PARIS.

Paris, May 11 .- The national pastime protests of Germany and England against of Andalusia has undoubtedly obtained a their conduct in the Moussa Bey and other firm footbold in Paris, and has evidently cases, come to stay. The Grand Plaza de Toros Elerel and Eastholdt on the col saus or old Leaf, 100 fine... \$31.90p. tast Caprivi's speech was a master piece. He Parisians, and nowhere else in the world | Paris, May 13.—Messre Barthelli and can be seen such an array of pretty women | Eiffel, after paroful calculation, have deand captivating toilels as put in an ap loided that the oclobrated wonder of the pearance on this occasion. The sport was world, the Colussus of Rhodes, as described (fules at Messes Falconer & Co. Frances, not so spirited as last year. The bulls, it by ancis t bistorians, could not possibly is true, seemed more lively and enterprise have existed for technical reasons. Effet ing, but there are signs of penny wise and worked the problem out thoroughly with pound foolish economy apparent. The Battholdi; and proved as conclusively as toilets were captivating, foulards, folding modern science can go that the legend of like gloves to the lighter prevailed. All the Colingue is as mythical as those of Her-Paris seemed present.

M. Tinco was decidedly the hero of the day and was most enthusiastically St. Petereburg, May 13. The official When the new roof of the arena is com winter tye and wheat in uropean Russia pleted the plast will be almost perfection. Its good. In many districts it to very good.

POWER OF THE POPE. Vienna, May 14. It is announced that the Pope has addressed a circular letter to 100 bishops of various countries, asking whather they consider the time opportuno for proclaiming a dogma assorting the temporal power of the Holy See. Sixty-

claim the dogma without delay. EXCITEMENT IN SOFIA. - FEARS OF A RESCUE | contained an allusion which it is impossible. OF PANITZA AND HIS COMPANIONS. Vienna, May 20 .- The trial of Major Captain Kilobkoff, a Russian officer, and nine Bulgarian officers and four civilians, my strength is that of a rock." their accompliace, charged with conspiring to everthrow the Government, opened at assailant of East Prussia, his words, espe-Sofia to-day, having been postponed from cially in view of their following his first the 15th inst. The Russian Government aggressive declaration, are now interpreted line been trying desperately to have Panitza here, as in St. Petersburg, as aimed and his co-conspirators released, but with against Russia. Within the official circle out avail, and a full disclosure of the here, the Emperor's deliverance caused to proceedings of its agents to overthrow the surprise, in view of advices from Paris roigning Prince fand subvert the G.vernment is now sure to be made.

portance of a political event, involving the relations of Russia and Austria and likely to lead to grave complication. The city of Sofia is in a highly excited condition this privi's announced design to place one of the morning. The streets are crowded. A great number of strangers are noticed | The Emperor did not without forethought among the throngers around the building say yesterday that if obliged to draw the where the trial is going on. There are sword, those who troubled his peace, would fears that an attempt will be made to rescue find German blows as heavy as they were the prisoners by fire. The entire garrison | twenty years ago. Both speeches contain is under arms and Princo Ferdinand is in council with his Minister at the palace.

THE SOCIALISTS' INFLUENCE ON LEGISLA-TION IN ENGLAND. London, May 20. - In the House of Lords | ments with reference to his relations with to-day the Earl of Wennyss and March dendiniced the tendency of the Government | friendly communications. toward socialist legislation. It was not land alone, but every kind of property that was threatened. The freedom of contract and the freedom of private enterprise were

on every occasion. Against this, he said statesmen must guard. Too much impor- been fired. All at once a violent explotimes was attached to the spectro of so- sion was heard, followed at once by evils from which arose socialist proposals faces were charred and blackened by

medy these evils, even if we get called bably lose their eyes. The wounded men socialists, knowing we are undertaking no were conveyed to the Military Hospital. new principle nor striking out no new They stated that a carriego had exploded route, but are simply pursuing a lorg and just at the moment they were going to pick healthy tradition of English legislation. THE FRENCH ARMY NOW STRONGER

THAN THAT OF GERMANY. Berlin, May 20, -The Minister of War. General Vernois, in explaining the military the latest diversions of Mrs Languy. One situation before the Budget Committee of night last week a supper was given at the the Reichstag yesterday, made the impor- St. James Theatre, at which were present tant statement that the French army is now | Lord Lurgan and several Guardsmen, with stronger than that of Germany by twenty- other men-about-town. Lively scenes took seven battalions. 1 OTOUS STRIKERS.

Prague, May 20. - The striking miners at Pilsen have made a raid upon the pits and forced the men to quit work. Troops were sent for and upon their arrival had a colli- off, racing around the inclosure with Mrs eion with the rioters. They fired upon the Langtry and a couple of women, her boom strikers, killing five and wounding seven.

SHE COULD NOT AID BISMALCK. Berlin, May 20. -The Freisinnge Zeitung ays that during the Chancellorship crisis Bismarck appealed to the ex-Empress to intervene in his favor, and she replied ; You know better than any one that I must not use political influence with my son. TREATIES WITH TURKEY.

London, May 20 .- All the powers except with Turkey upon the basis of a fixed tariff. THE DUKE OF MANCHESTER DESERTS A

sie Bellwood. On Miss Bellwood's arrival at the Trocadero in a hansom cab, accom-St. Petersburg, May 16.—The city of panied by the Dake of Manchester, who

the city, and it is the terminus of navigation | the bailiffs bodily into the street. The lat. | plunger, was liberated yesterday from THE SHAH'S PAVORITE.

- London, May 12 -The visit of th turning to Persia.

The Sultana, who is just 42, but who looks like a very aged woman, has immense St. Petersburg, May 17th. - Horrible | influence over the Shah, who is devoted to

ENGLAND AND THE VATICAN. London, May 12 .- The Blue Book shows Vatican relative to ecclesiastical matters in The garrison refused to render assistance | Malia have been brought to a successful

THE ITALIAN BUDGET. Rome. May 12 .- In the Chamber of

WHY THEY WERE REMOVED. Constantinop e, May 12 .- Djevdet Pasha, Cn Calcutta-Constantinople, were removed owing to the

cules or any other of the tun gods of old OBOPS IN RUSSIA. applanded, especially by the women, reject states that the general condition of Crops are only slightly injured in a few districts.

THE KAISER'S WARNING. Berlin, May 17th .- The Emperor's utterances at Konigsburg sufficed to irritate the Russian Government and dispol all ilusions regarding the possibility of the six bisliops answored in the affirmative, renewal of the entents with Russia. The but all the Italian prelates opposed the newspapers here minimized the reference dogma. The Jesuits urge the Pope to pro- to war in the speech of Wednesday, but yesterday his final atterance, when leaving,

to misunderstand. I shall not allow my provinces here in Panitza, in the Bulgarian service, and the East, said the Emperor, to be touched. Those attacking them will find that

As Russia is the only possible frontier pointing to closer relations between the French and Russian Foreign a Offic s. The trial accordingly assumes the im- Whatever may be the Czare opinion of the value of the French alliance, the Czur's ad-

visera cultivate it. Another pregnant fact is Chanceller Catwo new army corps on the Russian frontier. a voiled but emphatic declaration of the solidity of the Dreibund and the vigilance of its chiefs against their common enemy,

Bismarck is irritated over press misstatethe Emperor, with whom he maintains AN ACCIDENT DURING A BLANK CARIRIDGE

Nancy, May 9. - A and accident occurred to-day at the battery of the Righth Regiment of Artillery. When it was out this Salisbury admitted the existence of a morning going through blank cartridge strong tendency to loan upon the state up | exercise, over a d zen men were sent out , to pick up the cartridges which had not cialism. The public could be trusted to cries of pain. A rush was made to find out what practical good lies behind | the spot, and there seven unfortunate solancialist doctrines. Nobody not absolutely diers were found rolling about on the blind could deny the existence of great ground suffering terrible tortura. Their nowder, their boards burned off and their We are bound to do all we can to re- clothes in shreds. Three of them will proit up, and this was followed by several other

DIVERSIONS OF THE JERSEY LILY. London May 20th .- Secrety is aghast at place, and at 3 o'clock in the morning it was proposed to run races around St. James Square, near by, to the astonishment of the well-tipped policeman, who grinned at the swells in evening dress, but with their coats companions, wrepped in fur coats looking on and shricking with laughter.

Charles Sugden, the actor, rap a sack race with Ernest Lawford of the Guards and he fell, and they rolled over each other in the mud. The gasman of the St. James Theatre

then arranged hardles for a race of a hundred yards between Mrs Langtry and Bob Bouchier, a fushionable youth, the latter France have concluded commercial treaties | allowing the Lily twenty yards start, but he lost by two feet. After the race the party returned to the theatre, where Mrs. Laugtry distributed prizus, c neieting of handkerchiefs, flowers, slippers and stock-The proceedings terminated at 6

> MISCELLANEOUS. Faris, May 11 -Sarah Bernhardt is ill. In the prison scene of Jeanna D' Arc'a splinter cutered her knee and dangerous

> milimmilion set in. L. udon, May 8. - The rumor is alloat that the Marquis of Hartington will shortly marry the Duchess of Manchester, the mother of the unsavory Viscount Mandeville, who, through the recent death of his tather, became the eighth Duke of Man-

Nice, May 14th.-Benson, the jubilee

prison, in which he was incarcerated for forgery. He was escorted to his hotel by a crowd of friends, who gave him a banquet at which he announced his intention to reend of the week and will write a book narrating his experience of prison life. Berlin, May 15. - Puttkamers brother challenged Rickert, the Froisinnige leader. to a duel for slandering the Liberals. Rickert declined the challenge on the ground that he was acting in a public

> Quotations. Honorong, June 14.

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engagement to Dorothy Tennant. The remain as white as snow. nowe was sprung as a great surprise Saturday morning, and newspaper men had a exact facts were learned to-day.

weeks before he started to Africa to rescue or at Brussels. Emin. He was introduced to her by the Baroness Burdett-Courts. Stanley was intimate friends in Loudon to meet him at much impressed with Miss Tennant, and Ostend and lunch on the bout while crossing sought occasions to continue his friendship. | to Dover. These friends were Mrs French A fwe days before he started for Africa he Sheldon of New York and Harry Welcome, proposed marriage, and, much to his sur- who is getting up the dinner to be given to prise, was rejected. The Baroness and one Stanley by Americans in London. Miss or two other intimate friends of Stanley did conduct in encouraging him to the point of Dover was the Baroness Burdett-Courts. to the wheat of California and the rice of they would have brought a big hawk moth show as the size, and node his head rapid-. a proposal and then juting him.

hair. Photographs taken of him just before ley asked her again, there and then, to be American friends, warning them against cynics would have expected. Poor Greekish | day's journey without loads, two days with

passioned love letters from the heart of cur in July. lively acramble to ascertain the facts about Africa to his anxious flances through the the ongagement. The few people who Emin relief agent in London are all bosh. claimed to posses the recret clothed the Stanley went away a rejected suitor. When affair with all, the romance poss ble. The homeward bound he arrived at Brindisi. M 85 Tennant was not there to meet him, Stanley met Miss Tenuant with a party as she surely would have been if they were

> From Brussels Stanley wired to two Tennant was not there.

During the journey up she contrived to let | South Carolina. To one or two friends who ventured to Stanley know that if he still loved Dorothy talk with her on the subject Miss Tennant | Tennant and would ask her again to marry said she could not stand a man who dyed him, this time he would not be refused. his hair. It is a well-known fact that while The result was that Stanley drove to the for Africa this time Stanley always dyed his was waiting to meet him. Whether Stan- has written a letter, addressed to his tion went to greater lengths than scoffing, shows a hand's length. Ah! it is a good

States of America to Central Africa. The globe. He says:

| States of America to Central Africa. The globe. He says:
| precise site fixed upon is the Upper Congo | Near a place called Avetiko, on the Uturi | to the sea of darkness and like the giants of | I suppose we must have passed through | I suppose we must have passed

THE OLDEST RACE. STANLEY'S ACCOUNT OF THE PIGMIES.

extent, which Stanley estimates would and female of the pigmics, squatted in the the forest we despise fate." on the Duke of Westminster's yacht a few betrethed; nor did she meet him in Paris provide for each of the negroes of the midst of a wild Eden peeling plantains. South something like a quarter of a square You can imagine what a shock it was to the that of the woman a little less. He may have captured about fifty of these dwarfs, mile of land for his inheritance. The poor little creatures on finding themselves have weighed about eighty-five pounds. only one of whom reached the height of climate is healthy, the country abounding in suddenly surrounded by gigantic Soudanese The color of the body was that of a half- fifty-four inches. They varied from thirtynavigable rivers, with hills and valleys to six feet four inches in height, nearly double baked brick. So far as natural intelligence nine to fifty inches generally. They are so diversify the scenery. It struck Stanley in their own height and weight and as black was concerned, with his limited experience, well proportioned that at first sight they passing through it that it resembled as coal, but my own Zazibares, always he was certainly superior to any black man might be taken for ordinary mankind, but Arkansas, Mississippi and Louisiana, with- more tenderhearted than the Soudanese, in our camp. out their swamps. Anything might be prevented rifle and cutlass from extinguishgrown on it, he says, from the oranges, ing their lives then and there, and brought "Do you know where we can get bananas!" nutive. sugarcane and cotton of sub-tropical lands them to me as prizes, in the same spirit as He catches the cue. He grasps his leg to

or a mammoth long acorn for inspection. ly, informing us that he knows where to 'As they stood tremblingly before me I find bananas as large as his leg. One sees named the little man "Adam" and the that he can exaggerate as well as Mark miniature woman "Eve." As I looked at Twain. We point to the four quarters of them, and thought how these represented the compass questioningly. He points to London, May 16. - Henry M. Stanley the eldest people on the globe, my admirathe sunrise in reply. Is it far? He

he started show that his hair was jet black. his wife, is not known, but he did so very an alleged edition of his book that is ad- beroes and Jewish patriarchs, how their loads. "Do you know the Thuru?" He London, May 19. - There seems to be a During his last trip he discarded dye and soon afterward. This is the true story of vertised, and announcing that the only glory paled before the ancient ancestry of mode his head in reply. "How far is it?" great deal of romaticing about Stanley's is now altogether content to let his hair the engagement, which is still the subject book he will write on his trip is entitled these manikins. Had the little Adam He rests his right hand sideways on the of the greatest gossip. No date has been 'In Darke-t Africa.' It will be published known how to assume a tragic pose, how elbow-joint. 'Oh, four days' journey." The stories about Stanley sonding im- fixed for the wedding. It will probably oc- by the Scribners. Stanley has much that fitly he might have said: "Yen, you may "Is there much food on the road?" He is interesting to tell of the pigmies whom well look on us, for we are the only people pats his abdomen lovingly with an artful Just now Stanley is full of the idea of he discovered in the forest, and whom he living on the face of the earth who from smile, and brings his two hands to a point transporting negroes from the Southern declares to be the oldest inhabitants of the primeval times have never been removed in front of him, which we may infer that from their homes. For ages we have lived our paunches will become like prostrate

> as many as 100 villages inhabited by the The height of the man was four feet, pigmics. Our foragers and scouts may when we place by their side a European or " We began to question him by gestures. In Soudanese they appear exceedingly dimi-

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